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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Wang, Kangseng
APPLICATION No.: 09/781,046
FILED: February 8, 2001
FOR: **A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR INTRODUCING A
GENE INTO A HUMAN STEM CELL**

EXAMINER: Thaian N. Ton

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Dear Sir:

The present communication responds to the Office Action dated August 28, 2002, in the above-identified application. Please amend the application as follows. The attached Appendix presents a marked-up version of the changes made to the claims by the current amendment and a Clean Set of Claims.

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